

Modified Proposed Action

July 2018

The Forest Service proposes to conduct vegetation management activities within the Sierra Madre and Snowy Range Mountain Ranges to respond to changed forest vegetation conditions presented by the beetle epidemics and other tree pathogens. Specifically, the proposal includes:

Proposed Action Vegetation Activities	15 Year Treatment Cap (up to)	Potential Treatment Types (Including, but not limited to)
Stand Initiation	95,000 acres	Clearcutting; coppice; overstory removal; seed tree cut; prescribed fire; shelterwood
Uneven Aged or Intermediate Treatments	165,000 acres	Group and individual tree selection; shelterwood; salvage; sanitation; thinning; prescribed fire
Green tree/shrub land and grass	100,000 acres	Prescribed fire; group and individual tree selection; shelterwood; salvage; sanitation; thinning; clearcutting; coppice; prescribed fire

- Treating portions of Inventoried Roadless Areas (IRAs);
- Constructing and reclaiming up to 600 miles of temporary roads; no temporary road construction would occur in IRAs.

